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First Named Inventor

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Application Number

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are, as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**APPARATUS AND METHOD TO RECEIVE AND ALIGN INCOMING DATA IN A BUFFER TO
EXPAND DATA WIDTH UTILIZING A SINGLE WRITE PORT MEMORY DEVICE**

the specification of which

(Title of the Invention)



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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checkign the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).

SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record

Name

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title: Manager, IP Portfolio

Signature

[Handwritten Signature]

Date

NOTE:

Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required.
Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

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Certificate Under 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicants:

Manu Gulati

Laurent R. Moll

Entitled: **APPARATUS AND METHOD TO RECEIVE AND ALIGN INCOMING DATA IN A BUFFER TO
EXPAND DATA WIDTH UTILIZING A SINGLE WRITE PORT MEMORY DEVICE**

Application No.

Filing Date:

Broadcom Corporation

(Name of Assignee)

a, California Corporation

(Type of Assignee)

states that it is :

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
2. ☐ an assignee of an undivided part interest

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee.

Date: _____

Name: Dee HendersonManager, Intellectual Property Portfolio

Title: _____

Signature: 

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the undersigned inventors, hereinafter called the "Assignors", have invented a new and useful invention entitled:

APPARATUS AND METHOD TO RECEIVE AND ALIGN INCOMING DATA IN A BUFFER TO EXPAND DATA WIDTH UTILIZING A SINGLE WRITE PORT MEMORY DEVICE

for which reference a full description is here made in an application for Letters Patent of the United States filed herewith.

WHEREAS, **Broadcom Corporation**, a USA company having a principal office and place of business at, 16215 Alton Parkway Irvine California 92618-7013 hereinafter called the "Assignee", is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, the application above identified, and in, to and under Letters Patent which may be obtained for said invention, as hereinafter more fully set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, be it known that for valuable legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which by the Assignors from the Assignee is hereby acknowledged, the Assignors have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and the application herein above identified, and all Letters Patents that may issue for the said invention, and all division, reissues, substitutions, continuations, and extensions thereof, to have and to hold for the sole and exclusive use and benefit of the Assignee, its successors and assigns to the full end of the term for which any and all of said Letters Patents for the said invention may issue.

FURTHER, be it known that the Assignors have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto the Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire foreign rights to the invention disclosed in said application, in all countries of the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents under the terms of the International Convention, and further agrees to execute any and all patent applications, assignments, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such patent rights.

And the Assignors do hereby covenant and agree, for themselves and their legal representatives, that they will assist the Assignee in the prosecution of the application herein identified; in the making and prosecution of any other applications for Letters Patent that the Assignee may elect to make covering the invention herein identified, as herein before set forth, including any application for reissue, application for reexamination, application for foreign patent rights, or any proceeding in the United States Patent and Trademark Office affecting the invention, investing in the Assignee exclusive title in and to all such other applications and Letters Patent; and in the prosecution of any interference which may arise involving said invention, or any application or Letters Patents herein contemplated; that they will promptly execute and deliver to the Assignee any and all additional

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papers and make all lawful oaths which may be requested by the Assignee to fully carry out the terms of this assignment; and further that they will communicate to Assignee, or to its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, and facts known respecting said invention, and at the expense of the Assignee, testify in any legal proceedings, and generally do everything possible to aid the Assignee, its successors, assigns and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.


And the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized and requested to issue all Letters Patent to the Assignee in accordance with the terms of the assignment.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Assignors have hereunto set their hands on the date indicated below.

Manu Gulati 10/14/03

Manu Gulati

date

 16 Oct 2003

Laurent R. Moll

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May 20, 2003

To whom it may concern:

I, Henry Samueli, hereby authorize Dee Henderson, Intellectual Property Portfolio Manager, to execute documents relating to US and foreign patent and trademark matters on behalf of Broadcom Corporation and/or its subsidiaries.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'H Samueli'.

Henry Samueli, Ph.D.
Chief Technical Officer and Co-Chairman